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DIXON DID.

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

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TELEGRAPH SIXTY-SIXTH YEAR

DIXON ILLINOIS MONDAY NOVEMBER 20 1916

DIXON DAILY TELEGRAPH—THIRTY SECOND YEAR 274

KARL KASTNER IS STRIKEN SUDDENLY

WELL KNOWN STOCK BUYER SUCUMBED FOLLOWING OVER EXERTION.

AT GEORGE SHRADER FARM

Helped Load Heavy Calf Into Wagon and Fell—Verdict Is Apoplexy.

Over-exertion in running to catch a calf which he had purchased and his subsequent lifting the animal, which weighed about 150 pounds, into his stock wagon, is believed to have caused the death of Karl R. Kastner, well known stock buyer of 1004 Long avenue, at the George Schrader farm at 11 o'clock this morning. It is supposed the hard work caused the rupture of a blood vessel in or near the heart.

Mr. Kastner had purchased the animal early and ran considerably before he was able to catch it. Immediately after he lifted it into the wagon he fell forward on his face, unconscious. He rallied in a short time but immediately lapsed again into unconsciousness, in which condition he passed away.

Verdict of Apoplexy

The remains were removed to the Staples undertaking rooms where Coroner Stephan impaneled a jury at 3 o'clock, their verdict being that death resulted from apoplexy.

Funeral arrangements had been completed at press time, but it is probable services will be held Wednesday afternoon. Definite announcement concerning the last rites and the obituary will be published tomorrow.

TO CUT HOUSE COMMITTEES

Republicans Are Expected to Take Steps for Efficiency

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Nov. 20—Republican state representatives in conference here Wednesday are expected to agree on a program for cutting the number of standing committees in the lower house, Nov. 30, to 15. It is said there will be no opposition to the re-election of Shanahan as speaker.

F. UNDERWOOD STRICKEN

While playing billiard in Ford's billiard parlor at 11:30 o'clock this morning Frank Underwood was stricken with paralysis, his entire left side being effected. He was removed to his home. The attending physician reports his condition serious.

STEAMER STRANDED

(Associated Press) Berlin, Nov. 20—The American steamship Siberia has wirelessed she is stranded near Dover and unable to comparative worth and efficiency of launch boats because of heavy seas, government regulation and control. The ship is probably the Siberia, as compared with government owner 3300 ton freighter bound from Syria and operation. The hours and day, B. C., to France with a crew of wages of employees will be considered carefully."

Eight Counties Voted To Construct Tuberculosis Sanatoria This Year

Illinois is no longer a "black state" on maps prepared by anti-tuberculosis workers.

As the result of referendum campaigns conducted in ten counties this fall by the Illinois Tuberculosis association, eight county tuberculosis sanatoria are to be built as soon as the tax levy voted for that purpose becomes available.

In Kane county, where the hardest fight was made against the establishment of a sanatorium, the largest majority was recorded in favor of the proposition. The list of the counties in which the sanatorium question carried with the majority in each is as follows:

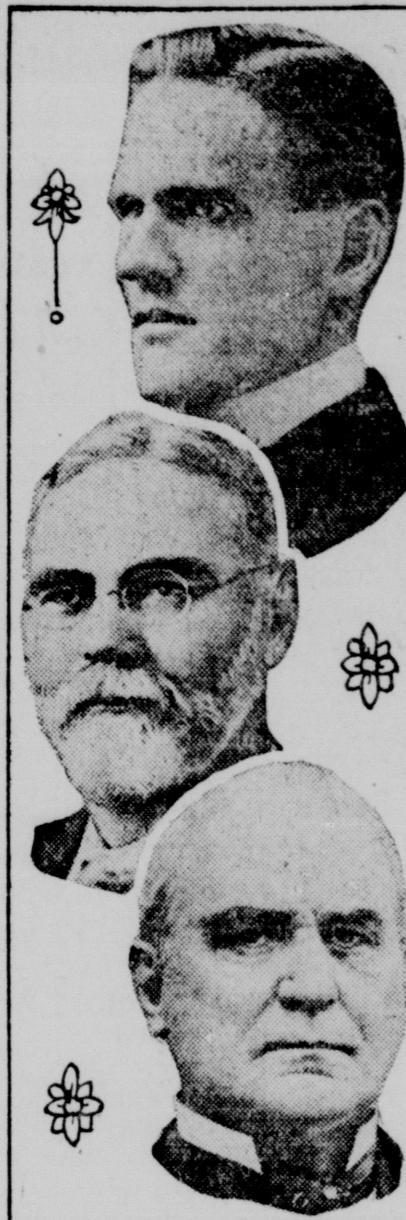
County Majority

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|------------|-------|-------|
| Kane | | 11038 |
| LaSalle | | 5501 |
| Adams | | 6381 |
| Champaign | | 5079 |
| Morgan | | 5026 |
| Livingston | | 3513 |
| McLean | | 1947 |
| Ogle | | 773 |

In Rock Island and Greene counties the sanatorium failed to carry.

ON SPEAKERSHIP LIST

Lenroot, Mann, Clark Up as Possibilities.



DIXON LIGHTWEIGHTS PLAYED GREAT GAME

HELD MOOSEHEART TEAM TO A 7 TO 7 TIE IN SATURDAY CONTEST.

MORRISON DEFEATED LOCALS

SUPERIOR TRAINING OF WHITESIDE CO. BUNCH GAVE THEM THE VICTORY.

The Dixon high school lightweights, outweighed by the Mooseheart team whom they met at Aurora Saturday afternoon, displayed surprising speed and shiftness and as a result held their heavier opponents to a 7 to 7 tie. Mooseheart, because of its greater weight, threatened the Dixon goal several times, but the Dixon line and especially Seaford, arose to the emergency repeatedly, breaking through and stopping Mooseheart plays before they were fairly started.

Dixon's touchdown, which tied the score, was made in the last six minutes of play. Brooks and Vaughan were put in, and with Schulz's timely help, they put the ball over the line and Vaughan kicked goal.

MORRISON, 32; DIXON, 3.

The thoroughly seasoned Morrison Regulars had little difficulty in defeating the recently organized and little practiced Dixon town team Sunday afternoon, score 32 to 3. During the first two periods Morrison scored repeatedly, but in the second half Dixon braced and held their opponents to two touchdowns.

Vaughan, who starred throughout the game, by drop kicking in the last three minutes of play, sent the ball between the posts for three points. The Dixon line-up:

Stewart, re,
Mahon, rt,
Jones, rg,
Smith, c,
Kennedy, lg,
Blackburn, lt,
Hogan and Schrock, le,
Lennox, qb,
Gorham, lb,
Vaughan, rb,
Dyers, fb.

Photos by American Press Association.

FORMER DIXON MAN PASSED AWAY SUNDAY

GUSTAV WISER DIED IN AMBOY FUNERAL THERE TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Gustav Wiser, a former resident of Dixon and for many years a resident of Lee county, passed away Sunday morning at his home in Amboy, death resulting from a complication of but a few days' duration. Funeral services will be held at the home in Amboy tomorrow at 2 p.m., the Amboy I.O.O.F. being in charge. Burial will take place at Prairie Repose cemetery.

Mr. Wiser was born in Switzerland but came to this country early in life and for many years lived in the vicinity of West Brooklyn. Later he moved to Dixon, making this community his home until a few years ago, when he went to Amboy. He was 64 years of age and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Tillie Wiser, and seven children, as follows: Joseph, Reynolds township; Gus, Rockford; Julius, Brooklyn township; Louis, Bradford township; Frank, Dixon, Mrs. Henry Hahnorf, Highland Park and Miss Tillie of Hinsdale. A brother, Fred, of Bradford, a sister, Mrs. Margaret Fallot of France and fifteen grandchildren also survive.

WILL HELP IN CELEBRATION

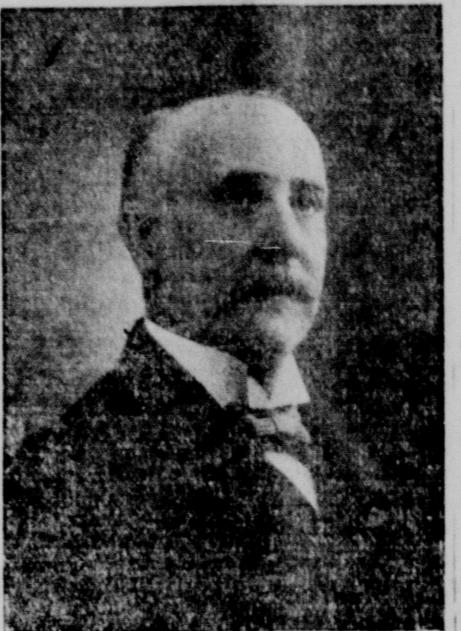
Local Democrats Will Go To Sterling This Evening.

A number of Dixon democrats will go to Sterling this evening to assist the Whiteside county followers of Wilson and Dunne in celebrating the former's victory. The local democrats will take a big steel tom tom of their own patent to help keep Sterling awake.

Both the state tuberculosis association and the state board of health are planning to continue their cooperation with local tuberculosis committees and boards of supervisors in the eight counties with the view of helping to bring about the building of hospitals that will be taken as a model in other states.

FAIRMOW GIVES GREAT TEST RESULTS

DAM OF SIRE OF COUNTRYMAN HERD IS MAKING RECORD PRODUCTIONS.



TWO YEAR COURSES ARE NOW RECOGNIZED

STATE SUPT. BLAIR SAYS THEY ARE ENTITLED TO TUITION FEES.

BLAIR GIVES SOME FIGURES

Tells Supreme Court Chaotic Condition Prevails Throughout the State.

County Superintendent of Schools L. W. Miller has received the following self-explanatory opinion from State Superintendent of Public Instruction F. G. Blair:

"The coming into effect again of the law of 1913 governing high school tuition privileges, a question has again arisen in regard to the payment of tuition to the two year and three year high schools.

"While it is true that this law authorizes the payment of tuition by the home district only to high schools offering a program of studies extending through four years, it should be borne in mind that this legislation occurred before the establishment by the department of public instruction of standards for recognized high schools.

"The department has established the principle and has followed the rule strictly of giving recognition to two year high schools, and three year high schools only when they actually are doing two years and three years respectively of the work of a recognized four year high school according to the requirements for recognition established by the Superintendent of

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STEWARD AUTOISTS HIT BY TRAIN SUNDAY

ONE, JORGENSEN JENSEN, WAS PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED

(Special to Telegraph)

Steward, Nov. 20—Four Alto town ship men, one of whom was probably fatally injured, had narrow escapes from instant death Sunday when Jesse Johnson's automobile was struck by a C. B. & Q. freight train at the Main street crossing here shortly after 3:30 o'clock.

Jesse Johnson, driver of the car, accompanied by Jorgens Jensen, Conrad Hall and Ralph Landis, left Luxton's store at about 3:30 for home. Their view of the crossing, it is said, was partially hidden by a freight car, and it is also stated the electric bell was not ringing.

They drove onto the track in front of the freight and it is considered miraculous that all were not killed, as the auto was a total wreck. Jensen was the most severely hurt, receiving a fracture of the skull. He was taken to the Lincoln hospital at Rockville where this afternoon it was reported he was still unconscious. Hall received a broken collar bone and minor bruises, while the other two escaped with no serious injuries.

We thought that perhaps you and Mr. Countryman also would be interested to know what she has been doing this year. She is now on semi-official test for the year. Her best day's milk was 112 3-10ths lbs. of milk. Best seven days 768 lbs. milk. For 43 days she milked over 100 lbs. of milk each day averaging about 165 lbs. for the 43 days. She milked over 9200 lbs. milk in 100 days and up to the 30th of Sept. being on test 180 days she gave 15,972 lbs. of milk. We expect, at her next freshening, that she will greatly increase her butter record.

We are sending Mr. Countryman a copy of this letter.

Yours very truly,
LAWSON HOLDING CO., Inc.
L. L. Lawson, V. P.

Dear Mr. Dunham:
We notice you advertise the sale of I. B. Countryman's herd on Nov. 23rd and that this herd has been headed by King Pontiac Abbekerk Brunnihilde a son of our Tidy Abbekerk Brunnihilde De Kol.

We thought that perhaps you and Mr. Countryman also would be interested to know what she has been doing this year. She is now on semi-official test for the year. Her best day's milk was 112 3-10ths lbs. of milk. Best seven days 768 lbs. milk. For 43 days she milked over 100 lbs. of milk each day averaging about 165 lbs. for the 43 days. She milked over 9200 lbs. milk in 100 days and up to the 30th of Sept. being on test 180 days she gave 15,972 lbs. of milk. We expect, at her next freshening, that she will greatly increase her butter record.

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SERVICES TO CONTINUE

The revival services at the Brethren church will continue every evening this week and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

BUTTER TAKES JUMP

Local retailers announced that creamy butter had jumped 5 cents a pound today. It is now retailing at 46 cents a pound.

THE WEATHER

Monday, Nov. 20, 1916

Probably fair tonight and Tuesday.

Wednesday, Nov. 21, 1916

Wm. J. Bryan addressed the Chicago Sunday ... 40 19

Monday ... 56 23

MISS RUTH LAW

Girl Aviatrix in Chicago-New York Flight.



ROPER CO. IN THE HANDS OF RECEIVERSHIP

CREDITORS OF LOCAL FURNITURE CO. TO LOSE BUT A SMALL PERCENTAGE

REYNOLDS COMPANY BUYS PLANT

Reynolds Wire Co. To Expand and Occupy Roper Building After December 15th.

The Roper Furniture Co. of this city was placed in the hands of a receiver this morning, as the result of a petition in bankruptcy filed by the City National bank, the Dixon National bank and E. N. Howell as creditors, through Attorney Harry C. Warner. The banks are creditors to the extent of several thousand dollars and the E. N. Howell Co. to only a nominal extent. Tim Sullivan of Dixon was appointed receiver of the company by Referee in Bankruptcy Henry Dixon, Mr. Sullivan, as receiver, is authorized to continue the business of the company and realize upon all moneys possible for the benefit of the creditors. The factory will continue in operation until all lumber and other materials on hand have been made into furniture and sold. It is expected that Harry Roper, who has been superintendent of the plant, will continue in the factory to aid Mr. Sullivan in the operation of the business as long as it is necessary.

Big Assets.

Mr. Roper, superintendent of the plant, stated today that the liabilities of the concern will be about \$50,000, and the assets will bring close to that amount, so the creditors will lose very little, if anything. The company has \$25,000 cash on hand, which has been turned over to the receiver and Mr. Roper is doing all in his power to straighten out the tangle for the benefit of the creditors.

Plant to Reynolds.

The factory building which has been occupied and was owned by the Roper company has been sold to the Reynolds Wire company in a deal consummated Saturday, according to deeds filed at the court house at a late hour. The Reynolds Wire company has purchased the entire factory building and property for the sum of \$27,000. The Reynolds Wire company expects to install all equipment and operate the factory as a wire cloth mill and will use the plant in connection with their big plant at River street and Ottawa Ave. for the manufacture of corn poppers, fly-traps and various novelties in the line to which they have been unable to give the room in the main factory. The Reynolds Co. expect to occupy the Roper building as soon as affairs can be shaped so they can move in. It is stated that the Reynolds company expects to make extensive improvements in the factory building, boilers, etc., and quite a force of men and girls will be employed in the Roper building. The Reynolds company will commence installing looms and equipment as soon as possible and on Dec. 15th will take complete possession of the property.

J. A. Roper In West.

J. A. Roper, who has been president of the Roper Furniture company is at present in California. His personal endorsement is on the company's paper.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

A stated conclave of Dixon Com- mandary Knights Templar will be held at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow ev-

Mrs. Wiley George entertained Mrs. Fisk of Pawpaw the past weekend.

Gen. Goethals Uses Plain Words In Answering Critics Of Canal

Washington, Nov. 20—Denial that the Panama canal is a failure, that the earth slides present an unsurmountable obstacle or that the great waterway will have to be abandoned is made by General George W. Goethals, governor of the canal zone, in his annual report to Secretary of War Baker.

General Goethals' report is a stinging answer to critics of the canal project, many of whom, he says, are those "whose little knowledge make them dangerous." He declares that "the slides will be overcome finally."

"SPEAR HEAD" FAMOUS FOR A GENERATION

The Chew That's Noted for
its Luscious, Long-
Lasting Flavor

MADE OF RIPE RED BURLEY

The only tobacco that perfectly retains the natural juice of the leaf is plug tobacco. Therefore, the only way for you to get the full, tasty enjoyment and wholesome benefit out of tobacco is to chew high-grade plug.

Spear Head plug is the mellowest, juiciest chew you ever tasted.

Its luscious, long-lasting flavor distinguishes it from all other chewing tobaccos and makes it the most satisfying of chews.

Sun-ripened red Burley leaf—carefully selected for its full, perfect flavor, is pressed-into plugs of Spear Head that make your mouth water just to see them.

Try Spear Head once and you'll never again be satisfied with any other chew.

Get a 5c or 10c cut today.
Your dealer has Spear Head.

The Inventor of the Compass

Flavio Gioja introduced or improved the mariner's compass about the conclusion of the eleventh century; previously a needle was magnetized by the lodestone run through a piece of straw or wood and floated in a saucer or shallow dish, containing water. Then as the old chronicler says: "The point infallibly turns to ward the pole star, and when the night is dark and gloomy and neither star nor moon is visible, they set a light beside the needle, and they can be assured that the star is opposite to the point, and thereby the mariner is directed on his course. This is an art which cannot deceive."

The Smallest Island

People who inhabit some of the Thousand Islands in the St. Lawrence river have believed that they dwelt on the smallest islands in the world. But it has recently been determined that the site of the Eddystone Lighthouse, Great Britain is entitled to the distinction. The dot of rock on which the lighthouse stands is barely thirty feet in diameter at low tide.

No. 181, Series of 1916. FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon in the County of Lee and State of Illinois caused to be filed in the County Court of said County of Lee on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1916, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing vitrified the pipe sewer with manhole and house connection laterals in East Fourth Street, under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number 181, Series of 1916, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said Certificate also shows that aid work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

Total amount expended for la-
bor \$322.45

Total cost of materials 105.11

Total cost of work \$428.56

Lawful expense 25.70

Total cost of improvement \$454.06

Estimated to cover lapsing in-
terest on bonds 43.98

Total assessment \$498.04

Public notice is further given that the Court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed herein for hearing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 4th day of December, A. D. 1916, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will permit.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 13th day of November,
A. D. 1916.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVE-
MENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON,
ILLINOIS.

By MARK C. KELLER,
Its Attorney.



TWO YEAR COURSES ARE NOW RECOGNIZED

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Public Instruction.

The superintendent therefore has ruled that any recognized two year or three year high school is a part of a recognized four year high school and as such is entitled to receive tuition for non-resident eighth grade graduates coming from districts in which no recognized high school is maintained, and has advised directors of their home districts to pay the tuition in all such cases."

Blair Gives Figures.

(Associated Press)

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 20.—A chaotic condition in high school affairs exists throughout Illinois as the result of the supreme court's decision declaring unconstitutional the high school tuition act of 1911, according to the statements of a motion filed jointly by Attorney General Lucey and Francis G. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, asking for leave to file suggestions as "friends of the court." Such a motion, known in legal parlance as one by "amicus curiae," is employed in cases where litigants desire to bring to the court's attention subjects outside of the record.

In the motion, filed in the supreme court Nov. 16 and sworn to by Superintendent Blair, the conditions are outlined as follows:

"One hundred and ninety-one high school districts have organized under the township high school act of 1911, of which number 102 are high schools employing teachers contracting for and purchasing school supplies, levying and collecting taxes for education and building purposes.

"Upon a conservative estimate these schools have made an outlay for sites, buildings and grounds of \$2,000,000. They have employed approximately 1,000 teachers, with an annual salary schedule of \$500,000. There are enrolled in these high schools approximately 20,000 pupils, of whom 1,000 are tuition pupils with a tuition income of \$50,000 annually. There are many buildings in course of construction and contracts let for others. The local country banks have been and are cashing large amounts of anticipation tax warrants to permit the operation of the schools during the winter. Other districts, in addition to the 191 are in the course of organization."

"Boards of education, county superintendents and all administrative officers interested in these districts are at a loss to know how to proceed in the present uncertainty."

The motion states in addition, that the state superintendent of public instruction receives daily numerous inquiries for advice in regard to how to proceed and that he is at a loss to answer.

The suggestions which will be filed if the court grants the motion, it is hoped, will lead the court to grant a rehearing or take action that will relieve the situation.

Look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. Do it now, please

GLASS OF SALTS IF YOUR KIDNEYS HURT

Eat less meat if you feel Backache or have Bladder trouble—Salts fine for Kidneys.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night. To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinary waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.

STITZEL BOUGHT FLOTO FARM

Dixon Man Will Operate Kingdom Farm Purchased Today.

George B. Stitzel of this city purchased the Charles Floto farm at the Kingdom, assuming charge and direction of the tract of 222 acres this morning. Mr. Stitzel secured all the stock and machinery on the farm in the transaction and will operate the farm himself. The consideration was not made public.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss:

Estate of Joseph L. Reed, deceased.

Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned administrators will annexed, of the estate of Joseph L. Reed, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, on the 5th day of December, 1916, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place we will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Ill., November 20th, A. D. 1916.

ISABELL M. HOPKINS,
ADELINE C. HENSCHL,
Administrators with the will Annexed.

HARRY EDWARDS,
Attorney.

Your husband would appreciate a box of engraved business or calling cards as a Christmas gift. We can supply your needs. B. F. Shaw Pub Co., Dixon, Ill.

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Save a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incom-
bustible material in the form of ashes,
so the food and drink taken day after
day leaves in the alimentary canal a
certain amount of indigestible ma-
terial, which if not completely eliminated
from the system each day, be-
comes food for the millions of bacteria
which infest the bowels. From this
mass of left-over waste, toxins and
stomach-like poisons are formed and
sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feel-
ing right must begin to take inside
baths. Before eating breakfast each
morning drink a glass of real hot
water with a teaspoonful of lime-
stone phosphate in it to wash out of
the thirty feet of bowels the previous
day's accumulation of poisons and
toxins and to keep the entire alimentary
canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick head-
ache, colds, illtemperament, constipation,
those who wake up with bad taste,
oul breath, backache, rheumatic stiff-
ness, or have a sour, gassy stomach
meal, are urged to get a quarter
pound of limestone phosphate from
the drug store, and begin practicing
internal sanitation. This will cost
very little, but is sufficient to make
anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more
important than outside bathing because
the skin pores do not absorb
impurities into the blood, causing poor
health, while the bowel pores do
just as soap and hot water cleanse,
sweetens and refreshes the skin, so
hot water and limestone phosphate
act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and
bowels.



Miss Marjorie Davis, who will appear as Paddywack in "The End of a Perfect Day," Dixon Opera House, Sunday, Nov. 26th.

AMBOY

Miss Ivy Wasson, R. N., is on
professional duty in Freeport.

A card club, consisting of sixteen
ladies, were entertained Thursday
afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J.
M. Egan.

Mrs. D. L. Braman spent Wed-
nesday in Freeport.

Frank Dishong will quit farming
this winter, and move to Amboy to
make his future home. He will have
a closing out sale, December 5, at
his farm, 8 miles southwest of this
city.

Thomas Mead has returned to New
York after a month's visit at the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
John Mead, west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Theiss of
Chicago spent a few days last week
at the home of his sister, Mrs.
Dingesaber.

Preparations are being rushed
forward to make the Farmers' Insti-
tute a great success. The Women's
Relief Corps will serve dinner at
the hall on the first day, Dec. 12.

Mrs. F. W. Jewett was in Free-
port last week.

Miss Ellen Heenan is quite ill at
the home of her sister, Mrs. Margaret
Lacey.

Mrs. Maude Brierton is a guest
of her sister, Mrs. Lee Worley, in
Ottawa.

Mrs. Kate Morgridge is visiting
on Sunday with his grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drynan.

Fred Gilbert has finished shred-
ding corn.

Fred Rickard of Rockford was a
visitor at the home of H. M. Gib-
ert on Thursday.

W. E. Eatinger, Miss Dorothy
Hillman, and Miss Bell Martin re-
turned on Wednesday from a week's
visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Drynan en-
joyed dinner on Sunday Mr. and
Mrs. John Alscott of Sterling.
The latter is their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eatinger
entertained on Sunday Mr. and
Mrs. Richard Eatinger, Mr. and
Mrs. Earl Eatinger of Chicago, and
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Seelover, and
Mrs. R. Eatinger of Sterling.

Mrs. Ruth Martin, who is here
from Bogard, Mo., has gone to
Franklin Grove to visit friends.

A WOMAN BOSS OF 222 MEN AND WOMEN



MISS ANNIE R. ROE

Miss Annie R. Roe, chief of the sued by the Treasury Department, numbering division of the bureau of printing and engraving in Washington, has been numbered by her, now in charge of 222 men and women, has been in the employ or sent to the Treasury from which the government for fifty-one years. they are formally issued as money. She it is who numbers the notes is

Suit and Coat Sale

The prices on our suits have been cut to the core. Never before have such wonderful values been offered this early in the season. Come now while the selection is complete. The best suits are now within the reach of all.

| | | |
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| \$19.50 now | | \$13.50 |
| \$25.00 now | | \$18.50 |
| \$32.00 now | | \$23.50 |
| \$45.00 now | | \$27.50 |

Thirty good warm Win-
ter Coats worth from
\$15.00 to \$25.00
Lot 1—Close at \$10.00
Lot 2—Close at \$15.00

Now is the time to get busy on the Christmas presents. We have a wonderful selection of little fancy articles which are awaiting your touch or needle to transform them into beautiful presents, such as pillow cases, luncheon sets or towels.

Dress Goods

Serges, poplins, and ottoman are the most popular weaves in dress goods. You will find a very choice selection of colors in all wool dress goods ranging in price from 68c to \$1.75 a yard.

Knitted sets in combed Angora yarn, insure comfort to the tiny tot.

Sweaters in plain or fancy weave, either with or without belted effect, made up in the very best grades of wool yarn in all the latest styles for women, misses or children at moderate prices.

O. H. MARTIN & CO. THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX Coats and Suits

Rubber

The beauty of our rubber shows at a glance. The quality is proven by trial. Better rubber cannot be made and is not made; therefore, it is the best on the market and the best kind for you to buy and use. Hot water bottles, fountain syringes, nursery rubber—everything in rubber, in fact.

STERLING'S PHARMACY

Potatoes ^And Apples

Largest car-lot receivers in this section, the reason why is because we give more value for your money.

APPLES, Fine Stock, per bushel 1.00

Will have car five potatoes on track first of next week at bargain prices in lots.

BOWSER FRUIT CO. 93 Hennepin Avenue

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

Monday

Hoi Pollio club, Miss Marie Madden.

G. A. R. Circle, G. A. R. Hall.

Tuesday

Miss Dorothy Jones, Returned Missionary from China, Methodist Episcopal Church.

Wednesday

Palmyra Mutual Aid, Mrs. Reuben Yoder.

CongregationaI Missionary, Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Friday

C. C. Circle, Mrs. George Nettz.

For the W. F. Price's

Miss Nettie Burd entertained at a little dinner last evening for Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Price, who leave Dixon soon. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon and Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Aydelotte were the other guests. Chrysanthemums in yellow decorated the table. A most delicious dinner was served.

Dinner Guests

Rev. and Mrs. L. Woods and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Welsh of Dixon were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mrs. Martha Snippet of St. James.

From Princeton

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Griswold and son Wilbur of Princeton and Miss Gertrude Reid of Walnut motored here Saturday and spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reid.

Celebrate Luther Day

November 10th was set aside as Luther Day by the Lutheran churches as it's celebration was postponed by the St. James Lutheran church until Sunday, Nov. 19th, when the following excellent program was given:

Prelude (piano)—Mrs. Hubert Bahen.

Hymn—Congregation.

Reading—A Little Missionary—Jean Wallace.

Reading—Laura Kennedy.

Instrumental Duet—Myrtle and Edna Hewitt.

Reading—Mary Whitebread.

Dialogue—Eight girls of Intermediate Department.

Reading—Emma Bothe.

Song—Choir.

Reading—Ivan Wallace.

Instrumental Solo—Lillian Welsh.

Reading—Ada Dick.

Address, Martin Luther—Rev. L. Woods.

Offering.

Drove to Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brewster and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brewster motored to Polo Sunday.

CHRISTMAS SALE

The Misses Rosbrook, Ingraham, Squires and Hitchcock will hold their annual Christmas sale of fancy work and unusually attractive novelties in the store recently occupied by Miss Thomas, beginning Tuesday, Dec. 5th, and continuing all week. Everyone cordially invited

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association.

The Red Cross work was represented by Miss Adams, one of the nurses who went to England last year with the Dr. J. B. Murphy Chicago unit. Miss Adams told of her work with the wounded in a most interesting manner, stating that the unit was sent by the British expeditionary force to France where they joined one of the base hospitals, a hospital with a capacity of 1040 beds, there being five other hospitals, besides, of this capacity.

These hospitals were back from the firing line from 70 to 100 miles and the wounded soldiers, after receiving first aid at the Evacuation hospital, which is close to the firing line, are sent down to the base hospital, in ambulance trains at night, the darkness being a safeguard from the enemy's guns and Zeppelins.

Miss Adams spoke of the ambulance trains as being so luxuriously fitted up in every detail for the comfort of the wounded. She also spoke of the wonderful system and precision with which the work of caring for the wounded is carried out, and stated that one of the noticeable characteristics of the British soldier is that he never complains under any circumstance. This stamps him as a true soldier.

The discussion was opened by Miss Anna L. Tittman in her able and convincing manner.

A paper was read by Miss Mary C. Wheeler, Superintendent of the Illinois Training School for Nurses, the subject being, "The Training School—Past, Present, and Future," dealing with the difficulties and disadvantages which the pioneers of our profession had to encounter and overcome, and showing how necessary it is for the nurse of today to continue to progress in order to attain higher and better standards, and also in order to promote the education of those who are to carry on the work in the future that they may be better able to keep pace with the demands which are made by the progress of medical science.

Miss Anna W. Goodrich, president of the American Nurses' Association, came from New York to attend the session on Friday evening. She also read a paper on the "Education of the Nurse." The members of the State Association deemed it an honor conferred on them to have Miss Goodrich present and tendered her a reception at the close of the meeting, when she was introduced to every member of the state

A CHINESE DIPLOMAT'S BABY

MRS. WELLINGTON KOO AND SON

Mrs. Wellington Koo, wife of the young Chinese minister to the United States, has a baby, born in Washington, over whom all Washington society that has been permitted to see him, is raving. He is said to be just as "cute," if not cuter, than any other baby ever born in Washington.

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The nurses of Peoria proved themselves delightful hostesses. The Alumni Association of the Deaconess hospital entertained with a tea Thursday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. Friday afternoon; the Protestant hospital Alumni Association and members of the hospital board entertained with an automobile ride to the Country Club and a reception at the club.

Greetings were sent by members of the State Board to Hon. John Devine, who rendered such valuable assistance when the Nurses' Registration Bill was before the legislature. The board expressed themselves especially indebted to Mr. Devine for his personal interest and help.

I would also add that the presentation may justly be proud of such women as Miss Adelaide M. Walsh and Miss Anna L. Tittman, president and secretary of the State Board of Nurse Examiners.

The Annual meeting of the Graduate Nurses' Association of the Third District will be held in Dixon in February, 1917.

D. A. R. Christmas Sale

The Exchange Committee of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold a sale of fancy work and articles suitable for Christmas gifts the second week in December. It is hoped that many outside of the membership of the D. A. R. will give of their patronage as the object for which this sale is given is one of general public interest. The White Elephant will also be present.

At Dr. Aydelotte's Home

Mr. and Mrs. William Derr of Scarborough were entertained Saturday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Aydelotte.

Guests of Son

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lyons, Sr., of Sterling are guests at the home of their son, J. T. Lyons, Jr., of Route 7.

Surprise the Elmer Wests

A group of girl friends of Mrs. Elmer West arrived at her home Friday evening unannounced, and declared laughingly that they had come to aid in the celebration of Mr. West's birthday. A merry evening, it is needless to say, was enjoyed, with music, games and chat in a happy medley. A lunch, brought by the guests, was also enjoyed.

From State Federation

Mrs. F. C. Grant returned home Friday evening from Champaign where she represented, together with Mrs. Mahlon Forsythe, the Phi Delta Art Club at the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Forsythe spent Friday evening in Chicago and Saturday in DeKalb with Mrs. Buckalo, and returned home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Charles Hey, who went as representative of the Woman's Club, also returned Friday evening. While attending the Federation Mrs. Hey was the guest of Mrs. Dunlap, wife of State Senator Dunlap, at Savoy. Mrs. Dunlap and Mrs. Hey welcome his visit.

Returned Missionary Speaks

Miss Dorothy Jones, a returned missionary from China, will speak in the Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. All missionary societies of the other churches are invited to join in a union meeting at the church. Miss Jones succeeded Mrs. Nellie Decker Beach in her work at China.

menu will be published tomorrow.

Bazaar in connection in church parlor, from 2 o'clock on.

Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Talty of 904 Second street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Julia, to Wayne P. Hendricks of Kirksville, Missouri, son of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hendricks, of 3708 Lake Park Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, which took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. Patrick's rectory. Rev. Michael Foley performed the ceremony in the presence of the bride's sister, Miss Alpha Talty, and her brother, Edward J. Talty.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks left immediately for their future home in Kirksville, Missouri, where Mr. Hendricks is secretary and general manager of the Kirksville Light Power and Ice Company.

To Mt. Carroll

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Batchelder, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fuller, Misses Nonie Rosbrook and Bernice Friedline motored in the Batchelder car to Mt. Carroll, Sunday.

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Entertained in Ashton
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Busby motored to Ashton and were entertained Saturday at the home of William Batchelor and were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Sindlinger.

Chicken Pie Supper

The Candlelighters and Woman's Auxiliary will serve chicken pie supper Wednesday evening, 5 to 7. The

LOST. No. 16522 from Ford car, also lamp. Finder notify E. S. Dysart, Phone 7210, or this office. 274 2*

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TIGHTENING THE BELT.

Reports from the bureau of crop estimates of the Department of Agriculture covering crop condition in this country at the close of October are not cheerful.

Corn promises a yield of approximately 2,644,000,000 bushels, or considerably below the average yield. Compared with the 1915 crop of 3,054,535,000 bushels, the shortage becomes the more striking, although some advantage is found in the better quality of the ear this year's reports indicate. There is approximately 90,000,000 bushels of old corn on hand in the country, which is 6,000,000 bushels less than was carried over the previous year. In Iowa and Minnesota and generally throughout the Northern States the stock of old corn is very low.

The buckwheat yields have been disappointing nearly everywhere and beans show a total production in the five important bean states of 9,924,000 bushels, as against 10,278,000 bushels last year, which was also a year of short bean production. The prospective yield of 288,964,000 bushels is only 80 per cent of the average, and is the smallest crop since 1908. The yield of sweet potatoes will be about a bushel an acre below the average, with marked inferiority in quality, although on account of the increased acreage the total production will be large. While apples will fall 9,000,000 barrels below the yield of last year, the season's crop of 67,695,000 barrels is nearly 2,000,000 in excess of the average. The Thanksgiving turkey confronts a cranberry shortage, a total production of 413,000 barrels this year, as compared with 428,000 barrels last year, being in prospect.

Of the necessities of life, with the exception of sweet potatoes and apples, tobacco alone ranks high in the promise of yield and quality, the estimate of 1,145,530,000 pounds being 85,000,000 pounds greater than last year and 42,000,000 higher than the previous record crop of 1,103,000,000 pounds produced in 1910.

The figures obtain increased importance through two accompanying conditions. The European war brings added demands, while prosperity at home tends to larger consumption. The outlook apparently calls for a tightening of the belt of the ultimate consumer, together with a brisk alertness to the obvious temptations toward "cornering" his supplies. On the other hand, the existing conditions offer every incentive to the farmer to expand his acreage to the utmost in the face of assured profits on all that he will have to sell next year.

ITALY SUES ILLINOIS CITY.

In an unusual action for damages filed before the federal court at East St. Louis, the little town of Johnson City, Illinois, is made defendant in a case virtually brought against it by the Italian government. While the international status quo is not threatened by the issue, the government of Italy, through its accredited consular agent at Chicago, is demanding indemnity for the estate of one of its citizens who was lynched about a year and a half ago by a mob in Johnson City.

It is the contention of the Italian government's representative that our laws compel the community to protect human life and limb from harm. In the Johnson City case the victim of mob hatred was lynched after a citizen of the town had been shot down in his home. Feeling ran very high and the Italian under suspicion of having committed the murder was ruthlessly and brutally killed, it is alleged, without any opportunity whatever to establish his innocence. The outcome of the case, of course, depends upon what evidence the municipal corporation can produce in proof that it did earnestly seek to protect the man.

Officials in Johnson City, whose positions charged them with the responsibility for the enforcement of law and order, have been subpoenaed. Damages to the amount of \$5,000 are demanded, and the little city faces a hard and difficult law suit.

CHAMP CLARK'S PROSPECTS.

Speaker Champ Clark doubtless views the result of the election with no little satisfaction, says the Chicago Evening Post. Stowed away in some easily accessible place of safekeeping is the Missourian's presidential ambition. It suffered a disappointment in Baltimore; it wisely kept out of the ring at St. Louis, but there is reason no longer why it should be modest.

Only the most extraordinary circumstances could make President Wilson a candidate for a third nomination. The thing is so improbable it may be disregarded. Thus the field opens for the speaker. The fact that his term as speaker may end with the present congress is probably an advantage politically. As the floor leader of his party in a house so closely divided that the minority will often be in position to make itself powerfully felt, he can gain more credit and conspicuousness than as the presiding officer.

Unquestionably he will have rivals. The democratic presidential nomination for 1920 is a more alluring prize than it has been for many years. It may lose something of its attractiveness before the next quadrennium ends, but the hope that springs from being the majority party, both in electoral and party vote, will inspire the ambitions of many. Nevertheless, Clark has the advantage at the start and must be reckoned as the man to beat by all other contenders.

THE ADVANCE OF THE DRY.

Probably the most conspicuous feature of the recent elections by which six states went over to the dry column is the determination of the community to govern itself.

That prohibition does not always fully prohibit will be admitted by the drys as readily as by the wets, but that prohibition as we see it in operation is a long step in advance along the way toward actual prohibition is claimed and with much proof to support it.

When a majority of the citizens of 24 states and the territory of Alaska vote to abolish the sale of intoxicants, a most significant act is recorded upon the pages of American history.

City in Brief

WILL DISREGARD INJUNCTIONS

American Federation of Labor Today, Decided On Policy.

(Associated Press)

Baltimore, Nov. 20.—The American Federation of Labor unanimously adopted the following recommendation: "That any injunction dealing with the relationship between employer and employee based on the dictum that labor is property, be wholly disregarded, let the consequences be what they may."

QUIET ON WESTERN FRONT

"Wet and Stormy Weather" Prevents Renewal of Fighting.

London, Nov. 20.—Reports from the various war offices regarding the operations on the western front indicate that a decided lull has set in on the Somme and Aisne lines, which is due probably to the "wet and stormy weather" reported by the British headquarters account.

Telling of Saturday's British attack on both sides of the Aisne, the German war office made important admissions, though claiming that on the whole the Teuton positions on the seven and a half mile front of attack were retained by our brave troops or reoccupied by counter attacks."

Aux. U. S. W. V. Card Party and Bazaar at Miller's Hall, 8 p. m. tomorrow. Admission, 15 cents.

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BATTLESHIP TROPHY FOR BEST WORKMANSHIP



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The American Defense Society Cup has been given to the battleship New York for the best marksmanship in the American navy. At the time the record was made Captain Hugh Rodman was in command of the vessel. The marksmanship equalled any known record of any battle ship engaged in the European war.

Two Wolves in Ten Days.
CURRAN, ILL., Nov. 20.
C. B. Grotts killed a large wolf on his farm. He was given a bounty of \$10 by the Sangamon county, the second paid for a wolf skin within the last ten days.

Child Burns to Death.

DIXON, ILL., Nov. 20.

Harry Nelson, the six-year-old son of C. H. Nelson, of Dixon, was burned to death when a five gallon can of gasoline exploded in a hall Saturday at his home.

Operation Removes Burr from Throat.

DANVILLE, ILL., Nov. 20.

Mrs. Homer Gee underwent an operation for the removal of a cockle burr, which had lodged in her throat and which threatened to cause her death.

REVIVAL IN BRETHREN CHURCH

Rev. R. N. Leatherman of Champaign is conducting a very spirited revival at the Church of the Brethren. At the morning service he spoke before a large number on "Mother" and a song, "If you love your mother, meet her in the skies, etc.," sung by Rev. J. J. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Emmert and daughter, Miss Gladys Emmert, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Skipper motored to Carthage, Ill., Friday, returning home Monday.

Mrs. E. D. Weigle and daughter, Mrs. Raymond Clark, and son, Edward Clark, spent Saturday in Dixon.

Mr. Wm. Floto and son Clifford of the Kingdom, were in Nachusa, Wednesday evening.

Miss Martha Johnson of the Lake Hospital, of Chicago, spent Saturday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson.

Miss Grace Phil, left for Grafton, W. Va., Thursday morning.

George Wolf of the Kingdom was in Nachusa Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Ida Hart was in Dixon Thursday.

Mr. George Weidman and son Frank Weidman, went to Chicago with stock Wednesday evening.

Scott Sprangler was in Franklin Grove Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Brown and Miss Algo Brown were guests of Mrs. Henrietta Smith and Mrs. Fahny Bossemeier Friday.

F. Emmert of Dixon spent Friday at his farm near Nachusa.

Misses Emma and Esther Shirer were the guests of their grand mother, Mrs. George Wiedman.

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FOR SALE: Healo, the best foot powder on the market. Sold by all Dixon druggists.

NEW POSITION.

John Hettler has accepted a position at Starr's barber shop.

IN OUR great-great-grandfathers' time many New England families had a cask of rum in the cellar.

It was freely offered to guests (except children) and freely partaken of, even as coffee is today.

This old-time custom gradually passed out of existence, for our forefathers recognized it was harmful.

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Attorney C. C. Johnson of Sterling ness visit, was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smucker of Ge-
cago this morning for a short busi-
Dixon.

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE

One of the most beautiful and absorbing romantic photo dramas of the season is a two reel special feature "The Heart of a Show Girl." The title role is wonderfully and sympathetically played by Ella Hall. The story:

This picture, featuring Ella Hall, tells of how a young premiere danseuse who has been severely flogged by a dramatic critic, meets this man later at the seashore and not knowing his identity, falls violently in love with him. On arriving at the office of the justice of the peace the two learn each other's real identity for the first time.

Also on the program you will find Dan Russell in a two reel L-ko comedy entitled "The Night Car but the Wrong Berth." Some laugh from start to finish. Molly Malone will appear in a western drama entitled "The Mountain Blood."

OUR NUTTY NOVELETTE

ALL'S FAIR AFTER THE GAME.

"The waters rise, the sawdust drips, The cup upsets as it nears his lips: A groan fills the ambient air, and then The egg is gone, but where's the hen?" "Father, father!" called little Oswald excitedly. "They're lynching a man at our back gate."

"I won't have it!" shouted Mr. Skibury. "I wouldn't have a dog lynched at my back gate, much less a man. Are we in a civilized age, or are we not?"

"Why don't you stop them, father?" cried little Oswald, who at heart was a tender youth.

"I will, come to think of it," said his father, and rushed out with both feet toward the back gate.

"I do hope you'll be in time, father," panted little Oswald, as he ran after him. "It's an umpire that they're lynching."

Mr. Skibury stopped so suddenly the dining-room windows nearly fell out of their sockets.

"Darn," he said. "Getting me all heated up for nothing!"

And he turned to the perusal of his evening paper.

MRS. OWENS' FATHER DIED.

Mrs. E. B. Owens has received word of the death of her father, E. B. Issett, of Bellwood, Pa., who passed away on Saturday night. Mrs. Owens left this morning for Bellwood. Mr. Issett has visited in Dixon many times and was well known to many local people, who extend sympathy to the bereaved daughter.

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Aladdin's Lamp Not In It With the Camera

Here is a Trio of "Movie Girls" in "The Birth of a Nation" Whose Combined Salaries Run Up to Considerably Over \$100,000 a Year and None Is Out of Her Teens.



BEFORE the moving pictures made the Arabian nights look tame this might have seemed a fairy story. At present it is just a reporter's notebook sketch of actual events, and there is a sordid sound of money in it.

Think of three girls still in their teens who are piling up annual incomes of over \$100,000 in the aggregate. The girls are Lillian Gish, Mae Marsh and Miriam Cooper, who play the feminine leads in D. W. Griffith's epoch making spectacle, "The Birth of a Nation."

Griffith understands the force of contrast in art as well as every other detail of this fascinating form of expression which he has made famous. In the three youthful stars of his masterpiece he has the satisfaction of seeing his work carried out triumphantly by three girls who have been trained under his guiding direction. Mae Marsh has that elian and elusive quality which her Irish ancestry bestowed

upon her. Griffith brings it out in striking effectiveness in his world famous work. Miss Marsh is red headed and clever far beyond the reach of her eighteen years.

Lillian Gish is pronounced the finest type of blond on the motion picture screen in America. She has been in the movies now for several years, beginning under Griffith's direction when a mere schoolgirl. She has played a world of parts and is known as well as Miss Marsh, who is believed of millions as the Maude Adams of the motion pictures.

These two girls between them earn over \$1,500 a week and have contracts with the big producing firms in film land, which means they earn these salaries for fifty-two weeks in every year.

Miriam Cooper is the newest member of the trio and has only been in pictures about a year now. She has come forward steadily, and her work in "The Birth of a Nation" has enhanced her earning capacity. Miss Cooper is the southern type. She is willowy and languid and a pronounced brunette, making a complete contrast to the brilliant shock of Mae Marsh's red hair and the golden blonde of Lillian Gish.

PAINS IN SIDE AND BACK

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J. T. Lyons, Jr., of Route 1, shredded corn today.

W. T. Brink of North Dixon ill of malaria.

A SUITABLE GIFT. For Christmas we would suggest that you send the Telegraph to your relative who has moved away from Dixon and desires to keep posted on Lee county news.

KEEN INTEREST IN TOURNAMENT

Seven-Up Players of Dixon Elks Will Have Big Time Tomorrow Eve.

Keen interest is being displayed by the seven-up players in the Dixon lodge B. P. O. Elks in the championship tournament to be staged in connection with the smoker for members only at the club tomorrow evening. It is announced that the tourney starts promptly at 8 o'clock and all members who wish to compete for the championship and the prize must be present at that time. During the evening the House committee will serve an oyster supper.

BIG CROWD AT FAIR CLOSING

St. Patrick's Bazaar Drew Enormous Throng Saturday Evening.

St. Patrick's Catholic church bazaar closed Saturday night with the largest crowd of several seasons in attendance, as a result of which all departments were very well patronized and the financial success of the fair was doubly assured.

WAR SUMMARY

(Associated Press)
London, Nov. 20.—Vice Admiral Dufournet, commander of the allied fleet, has instructed the German, Austrian and Bulgarian Turkish ministers that they must leave Greece by Wednesday, says an Athens dispatch.

Give Serbs Credit

London, Nov. 20.—The Serbians are given the lion's share of honor by morning newspapers discussing the fall of Monastir.

Drive At Standstill.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—Despite the fact that for several weeks the same villages are mentioned again and again in the official German and entente reports is proof that the great thrust on the Somme has come to a standstill, says the Overseas Agency.

Roumanians Retire.

Petrograd, Nov. 20.—The Roumanians continue to retire southwest before the invading Austro-Germans in the Jiu valley.

British Fail.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—British attacks yesterday on the Somme front between Serre and Brucourt failed with heavy losses to the enemy. The British were driven from the western part of Grandcourt.

Allies Losses

Berlin, Nov. 20.—During counter attacks on the Somme last week the Germans captured 22 offices, 900 men and 34 machine guns. New German formations have reached the Macedonian front. New positions north of Monastir were taken up without pressure from the allies. The Austro-German campaign against the Roumanians and Russians has gained further success.

Allies Victories

Paris, Nov. 20.—The allies troops have been completely victorious on the Macedonian front from the Cerna river to Lake Prespa.

Monastir Destroyed.

Rome, Nov. 20.—It is reported that Monastir was virtually destroyed by fire and explosion and that the retreat of Germano-Bulgarian forces is Bebace.

London, Nov. 20.—Monastir has fallen to the allies.

To the strains of the Serbian national hymn, the remnant of King Peter's army at 8 o'clock Sunday morning marched through the shell-riddled gates of the Macedonian city whence a year ago they fled in panic and hunger before the great Teuton-Bulgarian steam roller. At the head of the victorious troops rode Crown Prince Alexander, rejuvenator of the Little Balkan Kingdom's soldiers, and side by side with them marched French regiments with whose aid the great step toward the reconquest of Serbia was accomplished. Here and there in the long line of the triumphal march, a row of Muscovite "Tchakos" towered above the helmets of steel. Their owners were members of the Russian contingent which also co-operated in the encirclement of the great Bulgarian stronghold. A few minutes after the first battalions had entered, the Serbian colors—red, blue and white—once more fluttered from the mast top on Monastir's governmental and municipal buildings.

Recaptured on National Holiday.

The entry was peculiarly timely, for Sunday was the anniversary of the capture of the city by the Serbs, four years ago.

The French war office was the first to tell the news of the great success. It was flashed broadcast by telegraph and radio and a few hours later messages from all entente capitals told of unbounded jubilation.

"Troops of the army of the orient," said the French official announcement, "entered Monastir at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, the anniversary of the taking of the town by the Serbians in 1912."

Early in the afternoon word came from Berlin that the German war office had conceded the loss of the Macedonian base.

"German and Bulgarian troops," the official statement said, "have taken up a position north of Monastir. Monastir is thus abandoned."

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TIDAL WAVE VISITS FRANCE

Heavy Damage Is Done Shipping on Mediterranean Coast.

Burton Sullivan, the 9-year-old Pol boy who was brought to the Dixon hospital Friday evening suffering a fractured skull which he received when he was run over by an automobile driven by Maynard Wolfe, showed marked signs of improvement today and it is expected that he will recover. He regained full consciousness this morning.

According to M. Angot, director of the weather bureau, fluctuations of the barometer beat off the records of sixty years for quick changes. From 721 millimeters, which already was 29 below normal, it dropped 44 millimeters in thirty-six hours.

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IT WAS TOO MUCH LIKE HARD WORK BY

WALT DESMOND.



The Quarterbreed

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—At the edge of the Lakota Indian reservation a rider by strategy rescues a quarterbreed girl and two men from an Indian attack.

CHAPTER II—The rider is Capt. Floyd Hardy, a U. S. army new Indian agent who rescued Reginald Vandervyn, nephew of U. S. Senator Clemmer and agency clerk Jacques Dupont, post trader and his daughter, Marie.

CHAPTER III—Vandervyn tells Hardy of disaffection among the Indians, of the murder of Nogen, the last agent, and of his having been promised chief of the Indians. Hardy calls a council of chiefs. The halfbreed, Redbear, the halfbreed interpreter, brings his sister to the valley.

CHAPTER IV—Dupont and Vandervyn find Hardy unbreakable when they propose to share profits in a mine they are illegally working on the reservation.

CHAPTER V.

By-Play.

Sunrise found Vandervyn riding down the valley on his nimble-footed pinto. He left the road and cantered across into the bend where Redbear had pointed out his new house to Hardy. When Vandervyn rode up, Redbear was shoveling clay upon the uncovered brush thatch at one corner of the roof. The halfbreed did not stop work until his visitor drew rein almost within arm's reach. Vandervyn met his civil greeting with a cynical smile.

"So you've builded you a home, Charlie. How's your sister Winnie? That's the name, isn't it?"

"No, we say it O-ee-nah. The school people made her get up at four. I told her to sleep all day, if she liked."

"Come up the creek. I want to tell you something," replied Vandervyn. When they had gone beyond earshot of the cabin, he stopped his pony and faced the uneasy halfbreed with a look of sympathetic concern. "Charlie, it's all up."

Redbear's face turned a mottled gray. "All—all up?" he gasped.

"Amounts to the same thing," answered Vandervyn. "We sounded him last night. He won't sit in to the game—the board-backed fool! No chance to deal with him, and you know what that means. Next thing, he'll have it all out of the chiefs—the mine—everyting."

"No, no, Mr. Van! He can't find out. They don't know about what you and me— Nobody saw us—nobody. If there'd been a fresh track anywhere inside a quarter-mile, I couldn't have missed it."

Vandervyn shrugged. "I'm not so sure of that. You are not a full-blood tracker. But what if that is covered? It's bad enough. As soon as he finds out about the mine, he will kick the whole bunch of us off the reservation. That's the kind of fool he is."

"He can't put me off. I'm a member of the tribe."

"Yes, and Jake is a member by marriage. Lots of good that will do you both—in the guardhouse."

Redbear cringed at the word. "But my sister— He won't put me in."

"Wait and see when he finds out how things have been going here. Let him find out anything against you, and he's Charlie in the jug, with his job gone glimmering."

The halfbreed looked up, his eyes desperate, his face set in the grin of a cornered rat. He muttered a curse.

"That's it, boy!" encouraged Vandervyn. "Don't lay down. We're with you. But remember, we've got to make a bluff. It's up to us to bluff him off, or throw down."

"I don't understand you, Mr. Van."

"Here it is, then. He doesn't know a word of Lakota. The tribe doesn't know English. You are the interpreter. Get that?"

Redbear shook his head. "No, I don't."

"Yes, you do, Charlie. We've already told Hardy that there is a lot of bad blood stirred up. It will be easy to translate the talk of the chiefs that way. You can start in by telling them how he pacified the Moros. He killed



"It's Up to Us to Bluff Him or Throw Down."

nearly as many of them as there are members of this tribe. The chiefs he put in jail. All the rest he moved to another island—you can say, to another reservation."

"But if that is a lie—"

"It isn't. It's exactly what happened. The Mero head chief was kept in jail until he was hung. Be sure to tell that to old Thunderbolt. If it fails to warn him—"

"Hog-nah-hunk!" gasped Redbear. They once put him in jail for a week. If I tell him, it will make him fighting mad."

"That's all right. Don't be afraid," Vandervyn reassured her with a quick change to smiling friendliness. "I am Charlie's best friend."

"Oh, thank you, thank you! He is my only brother. We have nobody else; only ourselves."

In her gratitude the girl forgot her self-consciousness. She raised her soft eyes and looked full at Vandervyn. He smiled and bent nearer. Though she blushed scarlet, she was unable to turn her gaze away from his ardent blue eyes.

"O-ee-nah," he drew out her name in the caressing tone that he would have used in fondling a pet dog.

She smiled even as she trembled. He came closer. Her gaze wavered and sank before the look in his glowing eyes, and she shrank back. He sought to put his arm about her, but she sprang clear with the agility of a star-tied doe.

"Oh, come now!" he urged. "Just a kiss. What's the harm of a kiss?"

The girl had retreated into the cabin. He blocked the door. There was no way for her to elude him if he wished to press his vantage.

"No, no, please!" she begged. "At school they told me only bad girls let men kiss them."

"Bah!" he scoffed. "What do those old fossils know about it?" His voice deepened to an alluring richness.

"Come, I will not hurt you, Oinna. Give me a kiss."

"Let me—let me out!" she panted.

"Not unless you pay toll."

She looked around for some way of escape. There was none. She stared wildly out through the window and then looked at him over her shoulder. The sudden stillness of her pose checked and disquieted him. Was it possible that she had seen her brother returning?

He sprang outside and around to the corner of the cabin. A short distance away he saw Marie Dupont riding across from the road at a smart canter. He waved his hat to her and faced about just as Oinna was gliding from the door.

"Stop!" he called in a tone that forced the girl to obey. "Don't be silly, Oinna. You have my word for it I meant no harm. If you run now, Miss Dupont will think we have been doing something wrong."

"Oh, I don't want her to. She was good to me. Don't let her think bad of me," implored the girl.

"Then go in and get her a cup of tea. Quick—here she comes."

The girl disappeared as Marie's pony swung around the corner of the cabin. Vandervyn stooped to fiddle with his stirrup leather. He straightened, and looked over his pony's back. Marie had pulled up a few feet away, and was staring past him toward the door of the cabin, her cheeks ablaze and her eyes flashing with anger.

"Hello!" he exclaimed, glancing over his shoulder with well-feigned surprise.

"Lo," he said in an indifferent tone.

"I brought word to your brother that he was wanted at once. Told him I would let you know. He will not be home until after the council."

"Thank you, sir," murmured the girl.

"No trouble at all," replied Vandervyn. "You don't happen to have a drink of good water handy, do you?"

Instinctive hospitality overcame the girl's shyness. Her tall young figure and handsome face appeared as the door swung open.

"I boil the water. Do you like tea?" she asked in a flute-like voice.

"All right."

When she returned to the door, he was tightening his saddle girth. He kept her waiting several moments before he turned to take the cup of tea. The hand that held the cup was rough from hard work, but the girl's cheap calico dress was neat and clean and it covered a form as supple and erect as a reed. Unlike her brother, she had inherited only the good features of her parents. The blend of types apparent in her face was far from unpleasing.

She kept her soft brown eyes shyly downcast. Yet she must have watched him covertly through her long lashes. The tea was hot. He slipped it slowly and glinted on the girl's confusion. Unable longer to endure the strain, Oinna at last faltered in timid desperation: "You—you are Mr. Van. Charlie—he said you and he are partners."

"Partners?" repeated Vandervyn with a quick frown. "He said that?"

The girl shrank back. "Please, sir, he didn't mean anything wrong."

"What more did he say?"

"Nothing—only that. Please, it's only his way of talking."

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"What's the matter?" "You ask that?" she cried. "I met Charlie half way to the agency. He said you were riding out of the valley."

"Yes. Stopped here to get a drink from his sister. They have only creek water. I've had to wait while she boiled some for tea. But it was a lucky delay—you're here. You'll ride with me?"

"I wish to speak to that girl," replied Marie.

"Going to hire her for a kitchen maid?" he asked, and he called over his shoulder in a rough tone: "Hurry up in there. You're keeping Miss Dupont waiting."

"You should not speak that way to Oinna. She is not a dog," reproved Marie. "See; you have frightened her— It's all right, Oinna. Mr. Van didn't mean to be cross."

The girl had stopped in the doorway, her eyes timidly downcast. Without looking up, she came around to Marie and offered her the cup of lukewarm tea that she had brought in obedience to Vandervyn's command. Marie took a sip and paused to peer down into the dark brew.

"Merci!" she cried. "It is half sugar."

"You were good to me," naively explained Oinna.

Marie laughed and handed back the offering.

"You child! Drink it yourself. I can guess how few sweets you've had at school. Come on, Reggie."

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PUBLIC FEARED BY BOTH SIDES**Rail Brotherhoods Would Compromise with Managers.****OPPOSED TO PRESIDENT'S PLAN**

Head of Unions Now Favors Employers and Employees Settling Own Dispute—Will Ask Adamson Law Repeal if Roads Will Grant Eight-Hour Day.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 20.—W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, denies that he had threatened a strike January 1 if the Adamson law were not put into effect.

"Nothing I said could have been so construed," said Lee. "The story was made out of whole cloth."

Lee and Warren S. Stone of the engineers left for Washington to confer with President Wilson. W. S. Carter of the firemen and W. L. Shepard, acting president of the conductors, also participated in the conference.

Ready to Compromise.

President Lee, when told of reports in Chicago that the brotherhoods and railroad officials both were in a mood to compromise the whole controversy, replied:

"That is true, at least so far as the brotherhoods are concerned. As spokesman for the brotherhoods I made that offer last week in New York to the general managers' conference committee. If the railroads will agree to accept the basic eight-hour day for men in the train and yard service all other matters can be amicably adjusted."

"The overtime question is out of it. The railroad official were not ready to give us an answer and we told them we would not seek another conference, but if they wanted to meet us again they could so inform us this week while we are in Washington.

Would Repeal Law.

"If we can reach an agreement we are willing to ask for the repeal of the Adamson law, as it would be of no further moment. We would fight any attempt to enact a compulsory investigation law like that in force in Canada. An agreement would take the whole controversy out of the courts and congress.

"We are ready to compromise on all questions except the basic eight-hour day. And no change can be made in that, as we are under instructions and would have to call a meeting of the 640 chairmen and obtain their consent. I understand the railroads are willing to increase wages in lieu of the basic work day. But that plan does not work out satisfactorily with the brakemen. They should receive a higher percentage of increase than those receiving much higher wages.

Want Suits Dropped.

"We objected to the injunction suits and asked they be withdrawn to clear the way for an understanding. We offered to ask the government that no railroad be penalized for at least thirty days after the law goes into effect, so we would have time to work out the necessary schedules.

"What we will do will depend on our conference with President Wilson. His wishes will be respected."

The four brotherhood chiefs conferred in Washington with officials of the railroad department of the American Federation of Labor. They discussed an offensive and defensive alliance.

"BETTER COMMUNITY" MEET

Delegates Expected from All South Illinois at Centralia Nov. 27-28.

Centralia, Ill., Nov. 20.—A "Better Community" conference will be held in Centralia, Ill., Nov. 27-28. Its scope is the instructions of delegates from all over Egypt (Southern Illinois) in methods for improving town and rural conditions by a study of the needs and relations of practical experiences. Specialists in commercial development, roads, religion, labor, dairying, music, charities and soil improvements will lecture in twelve departmental sessions over the two days and nights. A community song will be the climax at a big theater. Some of the top liners of the country in those subjects will be present.

A similar conference will be held at Galesburg for central Illinois and Rockford for northern Illinois. This is all preliminary to a big state-wide conference at the University of Illinois at Urbana.

Thomas Kelly Sentenced.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 20.—Thomas Kelly, wealthy Winnipeg contractor, denied a new trial by the supreme court at Ottawa, was sentenced to serve two and one-half years in the penitentiary by Justice Prendergast.

Well Known Pastor Is Dead.

Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 20.—Rev. William A. Hennigar, seventy-one years old, for forty years a minister in the Christian church, is dead at Lafayette. He had charge of many churches in Indiana.

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Feb. 16—Jones & Cox, closing out sale, 3 miles northwest of Grand Detour, Fruin & Farnley, Aucts.

Austrians Capture Prisoners.

Vienna, Nov. 20.—The capture of prisoners in the Vippach valley is the only mention made by the Austro-Hungarian war office of operations on the Italian front.

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23 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m.
31 Clinton Exp. 5:09 p. m.

NORTH BOUND.

32 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:53 a. m.
24 Local Mail 5:35 p. m.
29 Local Exp. 8:40 p. m.
Freeport Freight 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

EAST BOUND TO CHICAGO.

No. Lv. Dixon 9:15 a. m.
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8 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

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4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

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12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. Lv. Chicago 10:20 a. m.
AR. Dixon 10:23 a. m.
13 10:45 a. m. 1:18 p. m.
19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.

7:24 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:49 p. m.
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5 6:10 p. m. 12:06 a. m.
17 9:35 p. m. 12:08 a. m.
x17 9:35 p. m. 3:11:20 p. m.

AR. Peoria

801 8:30 a. m. 12:05 p. m.

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Old Toms 2:22 a. m.

No. Lv. Dixon

1205 p. m.

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Young turkeys 20

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Corn—

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May 94 1/2 97 1/2 93 1/2 96 1/2

Oats—

Dec 56 1/2 57 1/2 56 1/2 57 1/2
May 60 1/2 62 1/2 60 1/2 62 1/2

Pork—

Dec 2675 2755 2675 2755
Jan 1670 2765 2670 2765

Lard—

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MORGAN FEARS REPRISAL ACTS

H. P. Davidson's Visit to Wilson Believed One of Protest.

FOREIGN CREDITS INVOLVED

Wall Street Opposes Application of Measure Recently Passed by Congress — Executive Departments Await Only President's Order to Act. Awaited Reply of Britain Unsatisfactory.

Washington, Nov. 20.—There was a circumstantial report in official circles that Henry P. Davidson's visit to the White House was caused by the possibility of early enforcement of the retaliatory acts against Great Britain.

Mr. Davidson, who is associated with J. P. Morgan and company, was said to have protested to President Wilson against the enforcement of the retaliatory laws on the ground that it might disturb American-British credits.

While the report could not be confirmed officially, it has been known that the big money powers, which have been assisting England in financing the war, oppose the application of the retaliatory legislation.

It is believed here that J. P. Morgan, at his recent conference with King George, assured the British monarch that the United States was unlikely to do any act which would tend to disturb the friendliest relations between the two countries. It was considered probable here that Mr. Morgan directed Dr. Davidson to make representations to President Wilson concerning the possibility of this government undertaking reprisals against England.

Close observers of finance and diplomacy asserted that if Wall Street desired to protest to the government against putting the retaliatory legislation into effect it would send one of its foremost spokesmen to make the fact known at the White House.

Await Only Wilson Command.

It is known and has been declared authoritatively that the executive departments of the government await only President Wilson's instructions before taking action under the retaliatory laws. Opinion throughout administration circles believed the signal for action would be Great Britain's reply to the American blacklist protest. That reply has come, and is unsatisfactory.

Secretary Lansing in a previous note to the British government had called attention to the widespread dissatisfaction in this country with certain British practices which were prejudicial to American commercial interests. In no instance, however, has Great Britain discontinued her warfare upon American commerce, and it is declared that both its proportions and intensity are increasing daily.

The House of Morgan was said to fear not only that President Wilson would carry out the intent of congress when it passed the retaliatory laws, but to apprehend that there was danger of the next congress legislating more pointedly against belligerent aggressions.

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BASEBALL PITCHER ROBBED

Mike Prendergast Surrenders Watch to Motorcycle Bandits.

Aurora, Ill., Nov. 20.—The police of Ladd, Ill., are hunting for two motorcycle bandits who entered the home of Edward Higgins there and held up Mike Prendergast, Cub pitcher, and Higgins. Prendergast is wintering at Arlington.

The bandits relieved the major league twirler of his watch and what money he had, and escaped on motorcycles.

JUST INCIDENTS OF GAME

Iowa Football Player Fractures Ankle —Another Senseless 20 Hours.

Iowa City, Ia., Nov. 20.—Harry Huzelman, right guard, retired from Iowa's team for the year when surgeons X-rayed his ankle and found that it had been fractured in the Iowa-Ames game.

T. B. Scott recovered consciousness twenty hours after he was knocked senseless in the same game.

"Potato Day" in Church.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 20.—Sunday was potato day in Wesley Methodist church, one of the most fashionable congregations in the city. Each member contributed at least one large potato. The high price of potatoes in Wisconsin was responsible for the unusual donations.

Admits British Again Advance.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—The English launched another tremendous effort on the Acre but succeeded in gaining ground at only a few points, according to the official statement issued at main headquarters.

Chicago Salesman, Suicides.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 20.—R. J. Fallon, salesman for a Chicago firm, was found dead in bed here with a bullet in his heart. A revolver alongside the body indicated the man had committed suicide.

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TRIES TO RESTRAIN

WIFE BEATER, 2 DIE

Early Taylor, Alleged Assailant, Makes Escape at Peoria.

PEORIA, ILL., Nov. 20.

An attempt to prevent a man from beating his wife caused the murder of two persons at Peoria.

Early Taylor, said by the police to have been the assailant, shot and killed Leon Charvat, forty-five, and his wife, Dolly, forty-two years old. Taylor escaped.

TAX; AMENDMENT WINNING

Southern Illinois Counties Are Supporting the Measure.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.

Complete returns from forty-nine of the 101 counties downstate on the proposed tax amendment show the proposal was approved by a vote of more than 2 to 1 of the total vote on it in these counties. It also has a big lead over the majority of all votes cast at the election in these districts. If the remaining forty-three counties maintain the lead already recorded the amendment is safe.

Of the forty-nine counties heard from on the proposition only three show a plurality against it. They are three Democratic counties in "Egypt"—Clinton, Jefferson and Richland.

FUEL SHORTAGE IS SERIOUS

Big Distilleries and Families Barely Get by at Peoria.

PEORIA, ILL., Nov. 20.

The coal situation in Peoria is desperate. Screenings that a "rotten" market were selling for fifty cents a ton are today selling for \$3.25 a ton with practically no available supply.

Two of the largest distilleries in the world operating here and a hundred Peoria factories are in the last ditch for fuel and are barely managing to get by. Residents of Peoria are warming just enough rooms to live in. The situation is unprecedented here.

Ice Crop Ruined; \$22,371 Verdict.

DIXON, ILL., Nov. 20.

In the United States district court, the Dixon Pure Ice company has been awarded \$22,371 damages against the Sandusky Cement company. The plaintiff claimed that its ice "crops" were ruined by the defendant company discharging great quantities of hot water into Rock river, near the ice fields.

Twenty-three Wilson Votes in Family.

CHESTNUT, Nov. 20.

John McCann of Chestnut was asked by a friend if he voted for Wilson. He answered: "I did, and so did my six sons, four daughters, four sons-in-law, seven granddaughters and my wife. You see this makes twenty-three votes for Wilson right in our own family."

Milk Bottle Famine Threatens.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.

A famine in milk bottles is threatened. Manufacturers declare that factories are running from four to six months behind on orders and unless housewives conserve the empty bottles the supply is likely to become, for a time extinct.

Get \$250,000 German Legacy.

OTTAWA, ILL., Nov. 20.

A letter was received at Ottawa informing Louis Faecke, a printer, that he and his sister, Mrs. Victor Hinrich of Chicago, are beneficiaries to the extent of one-fourth of the \$1,000,000 estate of an aunt in Germany.

Dies in Launch Explosion.

PEORIA, ILL., Nov. 20.

Bert Wilson was drowned and two other persons were seriously burned at Kingston when the engine of a launch they were propelling on the Illinois river exploded.

VILLA SECRETS CAPTURED

Carrancistas Said to Have Taken Important Documents.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The capture of important documents from the Villa forces by the de facto forces near Santa Rosalia was reported to the Mexican embassy. These papers are believed to relate to the bandit's plan of campaign, their resources in men and supplies and other important military and political data.

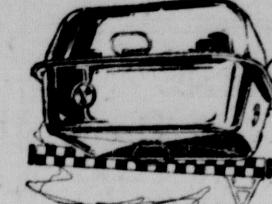
It was intimated that if the documents revealed Villa association with foreign interests, the state department may ask for them.

159 KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

Disaster Caused by High Speed and Poor Track.

Laredo, Tex., Nov. 20.—One hundred and fifty-nine persons were killed and many more or less seriously injured in a railroad wreck on the Inter-Oceanic line to Vera Cruz, between Dehesa and San Miguel, near Jalapa, on Nov. 12, according to reliable reports received here.

The wreck is said to have been due to the engineer running at too high a rate of speed over a dangerous portion of the road.



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